

# EXAMINATION BOOKLET

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR DOING THE EXAMINATIONS

1. Print your name and address clearly in the space provided. Write your Student Number. Be sure to use the same name and spelling each time.
2. The answer for each question will be found in the lesson or in the Bible verses. You may look at the lesson and the Bible as you answer these questions.
3. You will find three answers after each question. Only one answer is correct. Write the number of the correct answer on the line beside the question. Study the example given below until you understand clearly how you should answer.

## EXAMPLE:

- 2 1. The mother of Jesus was (1) Sarah, (2) Mary, (3) Elizabeth
- We know that the answer is MARY. This is answer number (2). Therefore write the number 2 on the line beside the question.

The number must be written on the line as shown in the example. DO NOT write the number on the line. DO NOT underline the answer. Write the NUMBER for the correct answer on the line.

4. As you do these examinations, read each question carefully, think clearly, and take enough time to do your best. Do not guess. Check the book of lessons or the Bible and be sure your answer is correct.
5. You may study with a friend or in a group. You will talk with your friends about your lesson, and you may also

talk with them about your examination. Remember that you must write your own examination. Do not copy answers from someone else's examination. Look in your book of lessons or the Bible, but do your own work.

**6. IMPORTANT – YOU MUST DO THE FOLLOWING BEFORE YOUR EXAMINATION WILL BE GRADED:**

- (a) You must read all the Bible verses in each lesson.
- (b) You must memorize the "memory verse" for each lesson and say it to a friend.

**7. IMPORTANT –** When you have completed ALL of these examinations, fold this booklet carefully and mail it to us in the enclosed envelope which is addressed to Bible Way Correspondence School.

**8. IMPORTANT –** Be sure you have the required postage on the envelope. Surcharged ("to pay") envelopes will not be received by Bible Way Correspondence School.

When you have successfully completed the twelve lessons, you will receive a beautiful certificate suitable for framing. This certificate is an award for successfully completing the course of study. It does not qualify you for employment.

It is important that you study these lessons prayerfully. Ask God to help you understand the great truths of the Bible as you study his Word. God himself will lead you to knowledge of his salvation in Jesus Christ. If you are already a Christian, we pray that God will use these lessons to make you strong in the Christian faith.

**CONCERNING THIS COURSE**

If you would like to write a few words about what this course has meant to you, please use this sheet. (Note: This is not a part of your examination and will not be graded).

## EXAMINATION FOR LESSON 12

Statement:

I have read all the Bible verses in Lesson 12. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have learned the memory verse, 2 Timothy 2:2, and have repeated it to a friend. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. A Christian who does not grow spiritually is called a (1) useful Christian, (2) baby Christian, (3) mature Christian.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Discipleship (1) punishment for wrong-doing, (2) a training process to help a Christian grow, (3) a special organization open only to church leaders.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. According to Matthew 28:19-20, discipling is the command of (1) a church, (2) a pastor, (3) God.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Jesus chose the twelve because (1) he wanted them to look great among the rest, (2) he loved them more than the rest, (3) he wanted to train them to carry on with his ministry after he had left them.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Discipling is the responsibility of (1) special Christians in the Church, (2) the pastor and deacons in the church, (3) all Christians in the church.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. In John 15:16 Jesus said he wants to bear fruit that will (1) taste good, (2) remain, (3) sell for a good price.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. In discipling others our primary aim is to produce (1) good church leaders, (2) mature Christians who will teach others also, (3) wise Christians.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. If a church emphasizes evangelism and neglects discipling, the result will be (1) immature Christians, (2) a strong, healthy church, (3) an increase in the offering received.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. A Christian is commanded to disciple (1) only fellow church members, (2) church leaders only, (3) every person.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Second Timothy 2:21 urges us to be (1) like a clean vessel, (2) like a wooden vessel, (3) like a large house.

## A RESPONSIBLE CHRISTIAN

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### EXAMINATION FOR LESSON 1

Statement:

I have read all the Bible verses in Lesson One. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have learned the memory verse, John 15:7, and have repeated it to a friend. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. What is the most important reason we should pray? (1) we have many problems, (2) sick people need our prayers, (3) God commands us to pray.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Who is a disciple? (1) someone who is training to do a job, (2) a follower of Jesus, (3) someone who goes to school.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. According to James 4:8, when does God draw near to us? (1) when we help someone, (2) when we go to church, (3) when we draw near to God.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. What does it mean to ask for God's kingdom to come on earth? (1) it means to ask for God's rule over people's hearts to be real and for his will to be done on earth, (2) it means to ask God to defeat our enemies, (3) it means to ask God to make all people rich.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. What should we do when we are tempted to sin? (1) we should make up our minds that we will not sin, (2) we should laugh at Satan, (3) we should pray and ask God to deliver us from temptation.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. What should we do when we sin? (1) we should not worry because all people sin, (2) we should cry about it, (3) we should pray and confess our sins so that we can be forgiven.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. What does "bearing fruit" - for Jesus mean? (1) it means people will praise us when we serve God, (2) it means we will have many vegetables when we plant seeds, (3) it means as we abide in Christ and serve him, people will be saved. Others will be blessed and strengthened by our ministry to them.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. In the parable Jesus told in Luke 11:5-8, what caused the man's friend to give him the bread he needed for his guest? (1) he kept asking and would not give up, (2) he had a lot of bread, (3) his friend liked him very much.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. What lesson was Jesus teaching us in this parable? (1) we can ask for three loaves of bread when we need it, (2) we can go to our friends anytime to ask them to help us, (3) God hears us when we pray faithfully and persistently.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. According to Ephesians 6:18, when should we pray? (1) in the morning, (2) at all times, (3) on Sunday.

## EXAMINATION FOR LESSON 2

Statement:

I have read all the Bible verses in Lesson Two. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have learned the memory verse, 2 Timothy 3:16, and have repeated it to a friend. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. We can know how to live as Christians if we (1) carefully study God's Word, (2) follow tribal traditions, (3) depend on our own wisdom.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. We say the Bible is God's message to us because (1) very clever men wrote it, (2) the Scriptures are inspired by God, (3) the Bible is an old book.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. The way of salvation is known (1) through any religion, (2) through the message of God's Word, (3) through the witch-doctor's advice.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. A person is saved by (1) regular church attendance, (2) faith in Jesus Christ, (3) baptism.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. When we study the Bible as we should, we will become (1) very popular, (2) equipped for every good work, (3) wealthy.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. In Psalms 119:11 the Psalmist said he had laid up God's Word in his heart so that (1) he might go to heaven, (2) he might receive a reward, (3) he might not sin.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. When he was tempted by Satan, Jesus (1) ran away, (2) answered Satan from God's Word, (3) agreed Satan was too strong and wise.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. One reason we should study the Bible is that it contains (1) a list of all things that are good and all things that are sinful, (2) an explanation of all the major religions in the world, (3) God's promises to us.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. We should study the Bible (1) only when we are in trouble, (2) prayerfully and obediently, (3) only on Sundays.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. God will help us understand his Word if we study (1) so we can win arguments, (2) to show what fine Christians we are, (3) prayerfully and obediently.

## EXAMINATION FOR LESSON 11

Statement:

I have read all the Bible verses in Lesson 11. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have learned the memory verse, Acts 1:8, and have repeated it to a friend. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Our memory verse, Acts 1:8, tells us we are responsible to be witnesses (1) in our own town only, (2) in our own country only, (3) to the end of the earth.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Who is expected to be a witness of Jesus? (1) preachers, (2) every Christian, (3) those who have seen a house burning.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. In John 4:1-30 Jesus witnessed to (1) a Samaritan woman, (2) a rich young ruler, (3) Nicodemus.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Which of the following things did Jesus do as he witnessed to this person? (1) he clearly stated his claims and required the person to make a decision about him, (2) he avoided any mention of the person's sin, (3) he talked a long time about non-spiritual matters before he began to talk about spiritual matters.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. When Peter and John were arrested for preaching about Jesus, as recorded in Acts 4:18-20, what was their response? (1) they promised never to speak of Jesus again, (2) they refused to answer their accusers, (3) they said they must speak of what they had seen and heard.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. A Christian witnesses because (1) he will receive an extra reward if he witnesses, (2) the preacher tells him to witness, (3) it is in his nature to share what has happened in his life.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. John 15:8 speaks of witnessing as (1) turning on a light, (2) bearing fruit, (3) being like salt.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. The power for witnessing comes from (1) ourselves, (2) the Holy Spirit, (3) baptism.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. In Matthew 28:20 Jesus promised to be with us (1) always, (2) while we are young, (3) on Sunday when we are in church.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. First John 5:12-13 tells us that if we believe in the name of the Son of God (1) we will have eternal life if we are careful and never sin, (2) we can know we have eternal life, (3) we might have eternal life but we can only be sure after we die.

## EXAMINATION FOR LESSON 10

Statement:

I have read all the Bible verses in Lesson 10. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have learned the memory verse, Psalms 90:12, and have repeated it to a friend. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

- 1. Psalms 90:12 tells us to number our days so we will (1) get more days, (2) get wisdom, (3) get joy.
- 2. We must remember that our time is (1) something we deserve, (2) a gift from God, (3) something to use as we want to.
- 3. We can use our time best by (1) planning, (2) doing what comes to mind, (3) doing what brings us money.
- 4. Planning is important to use time wisely if we have (1) a week, (2) a day, (3) any time at all.
- 5. We should spend some time with the Lord (1) when we have time, (2) every morning, (3) when we need something.
- 6. During our working hours we should (1) expect time off to pray, (2) give our best attention to our job, (3) read the Bible if no one is looking.
- 7. Going to school requires time and effort, so we should consider it (1) a waste of time, (2) something to do until we can get a job, (3) a blessing from God.
- 8. When a lesson is hard we should (1) study it carefully, (2) not worry if we fail it, (3) just do enough to get by.
- 9. Ecclesiastes 3:1-11 teaches us that there is a time for (1) everything, (2) happiness, (3) work.
- 10. On Sunday we should (1) stay in bed, (2) worship God and seek to serve him and his people, (3) carry on with our usual activities.

## EXAMINATION FOR LESSON 3

Statement:

I have read all the Bible verses in Lesson 3. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have learned the memory verse, 1 Chronicles 16:23, and have repeated it to a friend. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

- 1. Who planned that we should worship God? (1) man did, (2) God did, (3) Satan did.
- 2. Worship is for (1) everyone, (2) Baptists only, (3) Americans and Europeans only.
- 3. Worship of the Lord is to be done (1) on special days, (2) once a week, (3) from day to day.
- 4. In the Bible, the emphasis of worship is (1) a group (congregation) or a family, (2) individual and private, (3) for heavenly beings.
- 5. Worship is both (1) sad and tragic, (2) possible and impossible, (3) an honour and a responsibility.
- 6. True worship involves not only receiving but also (1) identifying, (2) justifying, (3) giving.
- 7. The command to worship "in holy array" means (1) we must prepare our minds, spirits, and bodies for worship, (2) true worship can take place only in the temple, (3) we must wear certain clothes when we worship.
- 8. In worship we "tremble before him" (1) in fear, (2) in awe and respect, (3) in guilty and shame.
- 9. In the New Testament, what was the style of Christian worship? (1) simplicity, (2) "holy array," (3) ritual.
- 10. In the New Testament, the emphasis throughout worship was upon the (1) symbolic, (2) spiritual, (3) ritual.

## EXAMINATION FOR LESSON 4

Statement:

I have read all the Bible verses in Lesson 4. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have learned the memory verse, Romans 6:12-13, and have repeated it to a friend. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Righteousness is (1) right standing with God, (2) living a morally good life, (3) church membership.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Who is our righteousness? (1) the Church, (2) good behaviour, (3) Jesus Christ.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Matthew 6:33 tells us we should seek first (1) a job that will pay us enough money, (2) God's kingdom and his righteousness, (3) a good education.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. What will God do for those who hunger and thirst after righteousness? (1) he will give them food and water, (2) he will satisfy them, (3) he will just be sorry for them.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. How many of those who hunger and thirst for righteousness will be satisfied? (1) all, (2) those who hunger the longest, (3) 144,000.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Those who hunger and thirst for righteousness need to (1) go to church, (2) be baptized, (3) turn to Christ.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. How do we receive God's righteousness? (1) by faith in (2) by praying much, (3) by fasting.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. How do we yield our members as instruments of righteousness? (1) wait for it to happen by itself, (2) do what is easy, (3) choose to yield to God as his servant.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. If we do not yield our members as instruments of righteousness our only other choice is to (1) receive Christ, (2) yield ourselves to sin, (3) honour God.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Romans 4:3 tells us a person in the Old Testament who received righteousness. That person was (1) Moses, (2) Abraham, (3) David.

## EXAMINATION FOR LESSON 9

Statement:

I have read all the Bible verses in Lesson 9. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have learned the memory verse, Mark 10:7, and have repeated it to a friend. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Our memory verse, Mark 10:7, tells us a man must be joined to his (1) parents, (2) children, (3) wife.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Mark 10:9 leaves no doubt that God intended for marriage to be (1) for life, (2) just for a short term, (3) a contract.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Mark 10:9 suggests that in marriage, people are joined together by (1) a contract, (2) God, (3) a physical union.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. When a husband and wife encounter difficulties in their marriage they should (1) get a divorce, (2) deny that they have a problem, (3) work to find a solution to their problems.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Ephesians 5:21 tells us to (1) love one another, (2) be subject to one another, (3) teach one another.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Ephesians 5:25 tells (1) husbands to love their wives, (2) wives to love their husbands, (3) wives to submit to their husbands.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. A husband can show his love to his wife (1) by doing something for her, (2) by staying away from her, (3) by disciplining her.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. In Ephesians 6:4 God gives warning to Christian parents. He says fathers (1) should not discipline their children, (2) should not care for their children, (3) should not provoke their children to anger.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. To discipline our children means (1) to enslave them, (2) to correct them when they do wrong, (3) to beat them up.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. First Peter 3:1 says a Christian wife might win her non-Christian husband to the Lord by (1) submission, (2) words, (3) intelligence.

## EXAMINATION FOR LESSON 8

Statement:

I have read all the Bible verses in Lesson 8. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have learned the memory verse, Hebrews 10:24-25, and have repeated it to a friend. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Hebrews 10:24 says we are to stir up one another to love and (1) happiness, (2) good works, (3) church membership.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. In John 17 Jesus prayed for his followers to be as he and his Father were, in a certain way. He prayed that they might be (1) wealthy, (2) one, (3) unhappy.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Acts 2:42-47 describes things the Christians did together at (1) Corinth, (2) the return of Christ, (3) Pentecost.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. What quality is present in a true Christian, as stated in 1 John 3:14? (1) good works, (2) love, (3) a solemn face.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. We know we are true Christians, having passed from death unto life, because we (1) love the brethren, (2) go to church, (3) have been baptized.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Before we can offer our gifts to God we must (1) be reconciled to our brother, (2) be baptized, (3) do good works.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. If we have caused an offense against our Christian brother or sister, God is faithful to forgive if we (1) confess our sin, (2) go to church, (3) give money.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. Hebrews 12:14-15 warns us to guard against (1) hypocrisy, (2) bitterness, (3) slander.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. We can love and forgive unlovable, hurtful people, only by (1) our own willpower, (2) God's love, (3) a judge's order.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Living in fellowship means living our lives with lowliness, meekness, and (1) protection, (2) power, (3) patience.

## EXAMINATION FOR LESSON 5

Statement:

I have read all the Bible verses in Lesson 5. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have learned the memory verse, Ephesians 1:22-23, and have repeated it to a friend. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. We can explain church membership by saying it is like (1) a club membership, (2) a charcoal fire, (3) a sports club.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. To grow in faith a Christian needs to be (1) in a community of other Christians, (2) in a government school, (3) in a place away from people.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Who called the church the body of Christ? (1) Moses, (2) Paul, (3) James.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. What directs the body? (1) the head, (2) the stomach, (3) the feet.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Who is the Head of the Church? (1) Peter, (2) Abraham, (3) Jesus.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Matthew 16:18 tells who the builder of the church is. It is (1) Jesus, (2) Peter, (3) Paul.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. Members of the church are (1) people who have been born again through faith, (2) all men, women, and children, (3) unbelievers.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. Who does the work of Christ in the world today? (1) good people, (2) old people, (3) church people.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. Matthew 28:19-20 is a verse given to (1) Paul, (2) members of the body of Christ, (3) Matthew only.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. When you join a church you are (1) joining a club, (2) assuring that you will go to heaven, (3) helping to strengthen God's kingdom throughout the world.

## EXAMINATION FOR LESSON 6

Statement:

I have read all the Bible verses in Lesson 6. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have learned the memory verse, 2 Corinthians 8:5, and have repeated it to a friend. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. We are responsible to give because (1) we have received God's grace, (2) God hates evil, (3) Jesus is God's Son.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. In Psalm 24:1 we are told, (1) tithing is for Christians, (2) Jesus loves us, (3) the earth is the Lord's.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. In our lesson the people who set a good example in giving were the (1) Macedonians, (2) Israelites, (3) Canaanites.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. To be a responsible give the first and most important thing you must do is (1) earn more money, (2) be a church member, (3) give yourself to God.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Some people let circumstances control their giving. A responsible giver (1) gives in front of people so they can see his gift, (2) does not let things around him decide what he gives, (3) pays his debts and gives God what is left.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Tithing is (1) paying your church dues, (2) receiving something from God, (3) giving one tenth of what you earn.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. In Mark 12:41-45 the widow gave (1) a long testimony, (2) from her great wealth, (3) all she had.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. God wants us to give (1) when we are forced to give, (2) because we want to give, (3) when someone begs us to give.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. It is important to know how much to give to God. Who is the right one to tell us? (1) the pastor, (2) our parents, (3) God himself.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. We know we are giving the right amount if we give (1) something every Sunday, (2) according to the will of God, (3) with all our heart.

## EXAMINATION FOR LESSON 7

Statement:

I have read all the Bible verses in Lesson 7. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
 I have learned the memory verse, 1 Peter 1:10, and have repeated it to a friend. (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Who has a spiritual gift? (1) every believer, (2) those who do good work, (3) pastors only.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Spiritual gifts are (1) special abilities given to believers, (2) rewards for good works, (3) talents.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. The gifts of the Spirit are given by (1) people who have the Holy Spirit, (2) the pastor, (3) the Holy Spirit.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Who decides what spiritual gift a believer is given? (1) the believer himself, (2) the pastor, (3) God.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. We receive spiritual gifts when we (1) are born into the world, (2) fast and pray, (3) are born again.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. We are told why believers are given spiritual gifts in (1) Ephesians 4:12, (2) John 14:1-6, (3) Matthew 5:1-10.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. The purpose of spiritual gift is to (1) make us good Christians, (2) let people know how good we are, (3) glorify Christ and build his church.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. Spiritual gifts help us to (1) study the Bible more, (2) do God's work with God's power, (3) love others.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. One way to know our spiritual gift is to (1) pray about it, (2) become a church member, (3) be baptized.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. As Christians we develop our spiritual gifts by (1) attending church every week, (2) allowing the Holy Spirit to use them, (3) talking to others about them.